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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
<b>ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter</b>						
Unemployed persons	no	65	66	61	46	41
Unemployment rate	%	6.3	5.3	5.5	4.1	3.0
<b>TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June</b>						
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	166	220	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	7 152	8 103	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	907	920	-
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	907	920	-
Taxable net income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	38 361	42 212	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	42 913	49 910	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	8.8	9.3	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	9 637	10 143	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	22	22	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	1 092	1 140	-
Taxable net income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	42 913	49 910	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	38 850	39 421	-
<b>SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS &amp; ALLOWANCES - at 30 June</b>						
Age Pension - Capital	no	187	186	185	182	184
Age Pension - DVA	no	0	0	0	0	0
Care Payment	no	70	70	70	70	70
Disability Support Pension	no	70	70	70	70	70
Newstart Allowance	no	36	36	36	26	21
Pensioner Payment - Single	no	36	40	38	34	30
Youth Allowances	no	22	29	27	24	19
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	no	10	10	10	no
<b>ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June</b>						
Wages and salary earners	no	844	856	888	927	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	21.2	31.0	34.3	38.5	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	34 651	36 222	38 640	41 084	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no	128	127	129	133	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	27	27	27	24	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	15 237	16 889	17 552	19 011	-
Investment earners	no	548	577	571	603	-
Investment income	\$m	41	42	42	42	-
Average Investment Income	\$	2 853	2 975	4 273	4 812	-
Supervision and emolument earners	no	20	20	20	20	-
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	0.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	-
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	16 470	17 870	19 000	19 794	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	50	57	102	117	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	708	1 008	1 231	1 656	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	33.7	36.0	40.3	45.3	-
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June</b>						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	70	84	80	90	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	113	114	113	114	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	103	106	109	119	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	81	81	80	84	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	55	56	58	62	-
Males - 65 years and over	no	8	8	5	11	-
Males - Total	no	450	459	472	490	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	74	73	77	80	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	102	104	112	113	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	91	91	91	92	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	85	83	85	90	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	41	44	47	48	-
Females - 65 years and over	no	2	2	2	2	-
Females - Total	no	395	397	416	447	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	152	157	163	176	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	121	121	121	122	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	102	105	107	123	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	177	174	180	184	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	100	100	100	110	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no	13	13	14	17	-
Persons - Total	no	845	856	885	907	-
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June</b>						
Managers and Administrators	no	51	56	58	63	-
Professionals	no	112	116	130	146	-
Associate Professionals	no	24	24	24	24	-
Technicians and Related Workers	no	50	54	58	58	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	16	20	21	17	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	158	171	180	188	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	64	70	71	71	-
Elementary, Personal, Social and Recreational Workers	no	64	62	61	65	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no	60	60	107	107	-
Non-laborers	no	11	12	12	12	-
Total wage and salary earners	no	842	858	880	905	-
<b>ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 20 June</b>						
Net worth per household	\$1000	398.0	401	401	401	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	305.7	311	311	311	-
Equivalised net worth	\$m	263.5	267	267	267	-
Assets per household	\$1000	484.0	484	484	484	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	68.8	70	70	70	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	14.4	-	-	-	-
<b>COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS</b>						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no	250	252	261	260	-
Employing businesses, 1 to 4 employees	no	87	86	87	83	-
Employing businesses, 5 or more employees	no	104	102	100	100	-
Total businesses	no	471	483	488	477	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no	45	39	33	48	-
Employing business entries	no	42	42	42	24	-
Total business entries	no	81	81	45	72	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no	51	54	27	36	-
Employing business exits	no	0	3	27	21	-
Total business exits	no	51	57	34	57	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no	3	3	3	3	-
Manufacturing	no	60	63	60	60	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	0	0	0	-
Construction	no	20	26	42	48	-
Wholesale trade	no	20	20	20	20	-
Retail trade	no	83	85	85	81	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no	3	6	3	5	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no	20	21	20	20	-
Communication services	no	0	0	0	0	-
Finance and insurance	no	27	27	33	24	-
Property and business services	no	114	120	117	120	-
Education, health and community services	no	1	1	0	1	-
Health and community services	no	0	3	3	3	-
Cultural and recreational services	no	15	15	12	9	-
Personal and other services	no	10	10	10	9	-
Total businesses	no	471	483	488	477	-



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**Table 2: Population and People**

		2004	2005
<b>ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June</b>			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	64	72
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	50	54
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	55	49
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	53	48
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	48	56
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	74	75
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	103	105
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	75	78
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	66	65
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	57	59
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	63	56
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	43	48
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	27	31
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	33	32
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	21	18
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	34	32
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	31	38
Males - 85 years and over	no.	4	3
Males - Total	no.	901	919
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	49	56
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	52	50
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	45	46
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	49	54
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	61	55
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	80	87
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	114	107
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	66	84
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	66	56
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	64	63
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	52	53
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	39	42
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	22	25
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	34	30
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	31	23
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	36	38
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	36	38
Females - 85 years and over	no.	22	22
Females - Total	no.	918	929
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	113	128
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	102	104
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	100	95

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	102	102
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	109	111
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	154	162
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	217	212
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	141	162
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	132	121
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	121	122
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	115	109
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	82	90
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	49	56
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	67	62
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	52	41
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	70	70
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	67	76
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	26	25
Persons - Total	no.	1 819	1 848

**POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June**

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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**ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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**OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006**

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

**SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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**LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

**OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006**

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

#### **HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

#### **FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

#### **INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006**

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006**

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006**

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

#### **UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

#### **ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006**

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

#### **BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December**

Births	no.	26	35
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.7	1.6
Deaths	no.	11	13
Standardised death rate	rate	4.5	5.0

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	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
	68	75	69
	59	53	56
	52	58	58
	49	53	61
	55	42	37
	75	81	91
	104	99	100
	82	91	94
	71	67	67
	61	70	66
	57	49	51
	50	48	55
	37	47	43
	31	27	27
	18	20	21
	27	21	20
	43	33	31
	2	6	7
	941	940	954
	67	57	60
	48	52	50
	40	49	63
	53	48	45
	62	56	58
	92	92	98
	94	96	101
	98	111	127
	54	59	63
	67	58	55
	46	58	66
	47	42	34
	24	25	29
	30	29	22
	26	25	26
	35	29	25
	35	31	30
	24	26	27
	942	943	979
	135	132	129
	107	105	106
	92	107	121

102	101	106
117	98	95
167	173	189
198	195	201
180	202	221
125	126	130
128	128	121
103	107	117
97	90	89
61	72	72
61	56	49
44	45	47
62	50	45
78	64	61
26	32	34
1 883	1 883	1 933

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4.9 - -

4.2	-	-
4.7	-	-
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0.2	-	-
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1.7	-	-
0.4	-	-
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12.9	-	-
8.4	-	-
18.9	-	-
10.3	-	-
53.1	-	-

9.7	-	-
20.0	-	-
15.7	-	-
9.8	-	-
15.0	-	-
9.7	-	-

6.4 - -  
11.6 - -  
2.1 - -

206 - -  
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749 - -

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40.5 - -  
19.0 - -  
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60.5 - -

2.0	2.0	1.9
19	10	11
6.3	6.1	5.8



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**Table 3: Industry**

		<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>
<b>BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June</b>			
Private sector houses	no.	4	20
Total dwelling units	no.	6	20
Value of private sector houses	\$m	0.6	2.3
Value of new residential building	\$m	0.9	2.3
Value of total residential building	\$m	2.1	3.7
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	6.0	3.0
Value of total building	\$m	8.2	6.7
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	141.9	116.9
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March</b>			
<b>Number by type of vehicle</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	1 110	1 112
Campervans	no.	8	14
Light commercial vehicles	no.	280	302
Light rigid trucks	no.	23	23
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	71	72
Articulated trucks	no.	13	11
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	6	7
Buses	no.	5	5
Motorcycles	no.	42	45
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	1 559	1 592
<b>Rate per 1,000 population</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	610	602
Campervans	no.	4	8
Light commercial vehicles	no.	154	163
Light rigid trucks	no.	13	12
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	39	39
Articulated trucks	no.	7	6
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	4
Buses	no.	3	3
Motorcycles	no.	23	24
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	857	861
<b>Age of vehicle</b>			
Less than 5 years old	no.	494	528
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	374	378
10 years or older	no.	688	683
<b>Number by type of fuel</b>			
Petrol	no.	1 297	1 314

Diesel	no.	222	236
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	40	41

**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION \* - year ended 30 June**

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

**AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES \* - year ended 30 June**

**Total area**

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

**Total number**

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

\* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
7	11	14
9	11	14
1.2	2.4	3.6
1.7	2.4	3.6
2.0	3.4	5.3
33.7	10.8	19.9
35.7	14.2	25.2
165.4	217.1	255.9
1 163	1 162	1 204
15	14	16
331	348	387
27	32	32
69	76	72
12	14	16
7	6	6
5	4	5
47	50	54
1 676	1 708	1 792
618	617	623
8	7	8
176	185	200
14	17	17
37	40	37
6	7	8
4	3	3
3	2	3
25	27	28
890	907	927
601	611	650
393	416	450
678	673	684
1 373	1 378	1 446

260	284	304
44	45	42

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**Table 4: Environment and Energy**

	2004	2005
<b>LAND AREA</b>		
Land area	km2	-
<b>WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS</b>		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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